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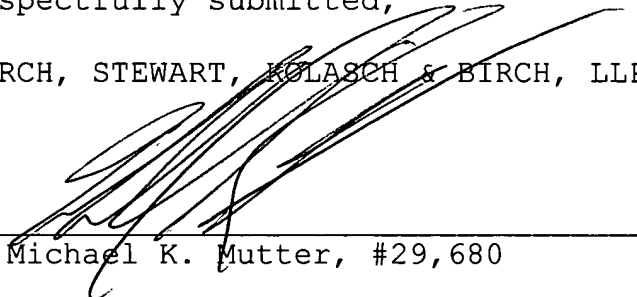
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Respectfully submitted,

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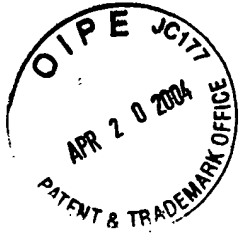

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Applicant: Toshihiro KAYAHARA et al. Conf.: 5666
Appl. No.: 10/618,639 Group: 3749
Filed: July 15, 2003 Examiner: Gregory A. Wilson
For: COMBUSTION METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR NOX
REDUCTION

REPLY UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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April 20, 2004

Sir:

In reply to the Office Action dated January 22, 2004, the following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-identified application.

This reply includes Amendments to the Specification;
Amendments to the Claims and Remarks.